CHAPTER 194

LEVEE AND DRAINAGE DISTRICTS -- STATE-OWNED LAND

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AN ACT providing for the assessment of lands owned by the department of natural resources within levee and drainage districts.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 468.43, unnumbered paragraph 3, Code 1997, is amended to read as follows:

When any state-owned lands land under the jurisdiction of the department of natural resources are is situated within a levee or drainage district, the commissioners to assess assessing benefits shall ascertain and return in their report the amount of benefits and the apportionment of costs and expenses to such lands the land, and the board of supervisors shall assess the same amount against such lands the land. However, the commissioners shall not assess benefits to property below the ordinary high water mark in a sovereign state-owned lake, marsh or stream under the jurisdiction of the department of natural resources.

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